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White Oaks  
REAL ESTATE.

# THE OLD ABE EAGLE.

GOLD, SILVER, COPPER, COAL, IRON AND MARBLE.

The Greatest  
Mining District.  
In New Mexico.

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**Plaza Hotel.**  
G. OSKAR SCOTT, Proprietor.  
Free bus to and from trains. The only  
First Class hotel in the city.  
LAS VEGAS, - NEW MEX.  
James Kernahan. Jno. W. Owen.

**CITY Meat Market**  
KERNAHAN & OWEN, Prop.  
FRESH MEATS,  
SAUSAGE AND GAME.  
Your patronage solicited. Orders delivered  
to your house.

**A. Schinzing,**  
Proprietor of the  
**Little Casino**  
Saloon and Billiard  
ROOMS.  
Finest cigars, wines, and liquors of all  
kinds constantly on hand.

**White Oaks N. M.**  
**\*Ozanne House.\***  
—WHITE OAKS, N. M.—  
Under the Management  
of Mrs. U. Ozanne.  
First Class In Every Respect.  
Special Attention Given To The Ac-  
commodation Of Transient Guests.

**Stanton House.**  
SOPHIA BLANCHARD, Prop.  
Transient and Resident Guests Will  
Find This House First Class In  
Every Respect.  
LINCOLN, - NEW MEXICO.

**Southwestern Hotel.**  
White Oaks Avenue and Placer St.  
Comfortable rooms, good beds, and  
the table supplied with the best the  
market affords.  
JOHN A. BROTHERS, Prop.

**Lincoln Hotel**  
CHARLES WEIDMAN, Prop.  
Superior Accommodations and Table.  
GOOD STABLEING.  
LINCOLN, - NEW MEX.

**Carizo Hotel**  
WHITE OAKS.  
Wm. Gallagher, Prop.  
Charges  
Reasonable

**Mines and Mining.**  
To miners prospectors and all persons inter-  
ested. The OLD ABE EAGLE extends a cordial  
invitation to all to call and examine the mining  
journals which we receive and file. The list com-  
prises the best in the United States and are  
placed at your disposal free. Parties coming in  
from the various camps can also secure some of  
the daily and weekly papers to take out and be-  
cause their spare moments. PUBLISHERS.  
The White Oaks coal field, proper, will  
be found to extend beyond present ex-  
ploitations, but the EAGLE report will be  
confined to the known deposits. Adjoin-  
ing the Wells-Parker mines are the  
Southern Pacific lands which are opened  
and patented, being held for future op-  
erations. In this same locality but about a  
mile and a half nearer to White Oaks lies  
the Cochran coal land, comprising a  
patented claim of 100 acres. There is  
but one entry to this mine about 200 feet  
in depth. Two rooms were worked out  
—one about twenty-five feet wide by  
eighty feet long, the other about twenty  
feet by thirty-five feet. The average  
width of the vein has been fully four feet  
of clear coal without any "bone". Dip  
of the vein twenty-one degrees. Thus  
far the mine has been dry. The roof and  
floor are both of sandstone. The main  
entry is about ten feet wide by seven  
feet in height. The coal from this mine  
has all been consumed in White Oaks  
and from the face of entry was fair coal,  
continuing to grow better as depth was  
gained and is of same quality as that  
mentioned last week.  
There are also on this property the  
same veins that exist on the other prop-  
erties in this field but which have not  
been opened sufficiently to determine  
anything more than that good coal is  
there. Work on this mine stopped about  
a year ago because two of the owners  
being non-resident they did not particu-  
larly care whether it was worked or not  
after securing patent and the other a  
resident owner could not make such ar-  
rangements in connection with other  
business as to warrant putting in machin-  
ery and operating on present market.  
This mine supplied the coal for the  
Chandler mill while it was running on  
"Little Mac" ore.

**Ready to Open a Pawn-shop.**  
Arizona produced 3,000,000 ounces of  
silver last year. The average price paid  
for it by Uncle Sam was \$1 per ounce or  
a total of \$3,000,000. He sold this pro-  
duct of our mines for 1,292 per ounce  
and made a profit on our sweat of \$878,  
700 and all he gave us out of this amount  
was a measly little appropriation some-  
thing like \$5,000. Better pull the Amer-  
ican eagle off the dollar and put three  
balls there instead. —Tombstone Pros-  
pector.

The Monte Fiedad, of the Republic of  
Mexico, a sort of national loan institu-  
tion does better than the U. S. Treasury.  
Any one having the requisite silver  
could also get it coined at any of the five  
mints in Old Mexico and get back all he  
put in—no "hold out" similar to the cus-  
tom of U. S. mints.

A brief visit to the Salado coal fields  
by any one who has ever visited any coal  
camp will convince them that a large de-  
posit of good coal is there. The amount  
of development is entirely too small to be  
of much assistance to coal operators  
further than to indicate where coal of  
same quality perhaps as that already  
opened may be found. A description  
next week.

Nogal mining district is a steady small  
producer at present. Capital will make  
her one of the leading districts in gold,  
silver and lead. If the lead, from which  
comes the native copper often found be-  
tween Tortilla canyon and Nogal, is ever  
struck, it no doubt will be a great one.

Ross & Rabble have a tract of valuable  
coal land for sale. A mine is open on the  
property and several thousand dollars  
have been expended on it. This is the  
nearest coal mine to White Oaks and can  
be made to pay at any time. Address  
Ross & Rabble for description and price.

The miners of Socorro county held a  
meeting a few days ago and requested  
that the World's fair board abolish the  
office of collector of minerals, and that a  
collector be appointed in each county to  
collect exhibits. —San Marcial Reporter.

FOR SALE—Interest in lode claim—  
gold prospect—in the Jicarilla district.  
Purchase money will be applied to fur-  
ther development of lead. Inquire of  
Ross & Rabble, this office.

The "Watch Club" just started by Al  
Parker presents an easy method and long  
time in which to secure a fine gold watch.  
Bartlett movement. Anyone can afford  
to own a first class watch by means of  
this club. Have Al explain the scheme  
to you.

**LINCOLN COUNTY IRRIGATION.**  
Other counties and cities are holding  
meetings throughout the Territory on  
the subject of the Irrigation convention.  
They are also appointing delegates and  
the sooner the delegates from Lincoln  
county are appointed the more time  
they will have for preparation on the  
various points on the subject and the  
essentials requisite for the reclama-  
tion of her arid lands. Proportion-  
ately, Lincoln county has not so much  
land as some other counties that must  
have irrigation to make it productive, yet  
there are thousands of acres that would  
be tilled that are not now cultivated for  
reason that a portion of the necessary  
water is not at hand from rain-fall. All  
of the arid lands, or partially arid, could  
be so easily made a source of great re-  
venue to farmers who would settle there  
if water was stored for irrigation in the  
mountain water courses and watersheds,  
that it will be almost a crime for Lincoln  
county to be behind her sisters in the  
matter of joining in this grand movement  
and sending her representatives to the  
convention. It will be money and time  
repaid a thousand fold to secure informa-  
tion and co-operation upon the part of  
our citizens and capitalists to populate  
every acre of cultivable land in Lincoln  
county, where the soil is the most fertile  
and most adaptable to such a large  
variety of fruit, grain, vine and vegetable  
products.

Some time ago in a letter, enclosing a  
subscription, from a former resident of  
Lincoln county, the party said: "I do  
hope your labors will be blessed and that  
the EAGLE will be able to wake up the  
sleepy heads of Lincoln county to a real-  
ization of what their county contains and  
that they will become so aroused that  
they will take their proper rank in the  
Territory." Now it is a fact that all that  
is being done in this county to develop  
her resources and carry forward new en-  
terprises is being done almost entirely  
by a very few men.

Get up and look about and see what a  
wonderful section of country you live in.  
Compare it with other country that you  
know of, that once was barren and des-  
olate with scarcely any of the advan-  
tages which Lincoln county has in  
abundance.

What is the reason that you are not  
now enjoying the blessings of railroad  
communication and its concomitant  
blessings, markets which would demand  
at home and abroad ten times as much as  
you could now raise of all kinds of  
products?

Why are not your coal mines and gold  
and silver and copper and lumber and  
farm lands busy as bees with throngs of  
men toiling night and day and produc-  
ing and consuming millions of dollars  
worth of the natural resources of Lin-  
coln county? Simply because the larger  
majority of the citizens of Lincoln  
county have not yet done anything to  
have the public abroad know what won-  
derful resources we have. They have  
not been represented in the public affairs  
of the Territory as they should have been.  
The representation of this county in the  
efforts to secure a railroad have all been  
borne by citizens of White Oaks exclu-  
sively. "Brethren, these things ought  
not to be," but people from all over  
Lincoln county should be aroused and  
active in aiding the promotion of every  
kind of enterprise calculated to benefit  
all. The first opportunity for the far-  
mers and general business public of Lin-  
coln county to come to the front is at the  
Irrigation convention, and every citizen  
ought to take personal interest in seeing  
that our Board of County Commissioners  
are informed that the people want dele-  
gates sent, and data should be sent to  
the Board from the different neighbor-  
hoods about what could be done towards  
improvement by irrigation. The Com-  
missioners are all right and may call an  
extra session for this and other matters,  
but every man in every part of this  
county ought to immediately do what  
ever is in his power to encourage the  
Board in their actions on this and all  
other matters of public enterprise. The  
columns of the EAGLE are also especially  
tendered for publication of the proceed-  
ings of Lincoln county citizens outside

of White Oaks, in reference to all mat-  
ters of public enterprise.

Lincoln county people must put in her  
claims for recognition if she expects to  
keep from being the tail end of New  
Mexico and the last to be reached by  
railroads and large investments of  
capital.

## FT. STANTON STATISTICS.

The past week has been the dullest  
the post has seen for some time and the  
quietude is becoming very monotonous.  
Col. Lincoln went up the Bonito, Fri-  
day, on a quail hunt, but had poor luck.  
One can always hear from his country  
friends where to find "loads of quail,"  
but when we go to hunt them—they gen-  
erally have "vanished."

Dr. Danister is expected back the latter  
part of this month. The doctor is at  
present in Alabama, visiting his parents.

Offly Post of the Army and Navy  
union, has been organized here. The in-  
stallation of officers will take place the  
coming week.

The mail from Carthage did not arrive  
here on Sunday night until 9 o'clock and  
many were the murmurs heard around  
the post-office. Soldiers are natural born  
"kickers" and they get in some big licks  
when their mail is delayed. We under-  
stand the delay was caused by a break-  
down on the Carthage end of the line.

Mrs. Karbach, wife of First Serg't Kar-  
bach, arrived here Monday morning, and  
Jacob has worn an eight by ten smile  
ever since.

George M. Shelly, of Kansas City,  
arrived on Sunday's stage and is staying  
at the post-trader's store. He visited  
Lincoln on Monday in company with  
Messrs. DeLany and Vail.

The Kansas City Times says: "The  
future Major General of the Army was  
born at Santa Fe, to Lieut. and Mrs. I.  
W. Little, regimental adjutant of 10th  
Infantry."

Capt. J. N. Wheelan left for the East  
on Sunday before last. He was accom-  
panied by his sister Miss Wheelan and  
intends to spend his six month's leave  
visiting friends at New York and other  
points. It is not probable that Capt. W.  
will return to this post, as he is likely to  
be appointed a major before his six  
months expire.

Captain Kompton took one Chinaman  
to the railroad last week by his stage line  
and if he or somebody else will take the  
rest he can secure a new hat at this office.  
There are plenty of American citizens  
worthy of the patronage given this class  
who never become citizens or active in  
any manner except hoarding their re-  
ceipts, "hitting the pipe" and keeping  
good citizens, working-men and washer-  
women out of a job. Scarcely the heathen  
Chinese is a debasing element.

The Columbia wheels are beautifully  
easy runners. We remember a few years  
ago coming off a light, well-made Eng-  
lish wheel on to a Columbia owned by an  
American tourist, whom we were taking  
a short distance on his road, and the dif-  
ference surprised us. We took his heavy  
wheel to assist him, as he was weary,  
but very soon he "called us back again,"  
for the exchange had given us a ben-  
efit. —Scottish Cyclist.

The Columbia wheel, specially geared  
low for hill climbing, has no equal, and  
every miner ought to have one. Al. Parker  
is agent for this district.

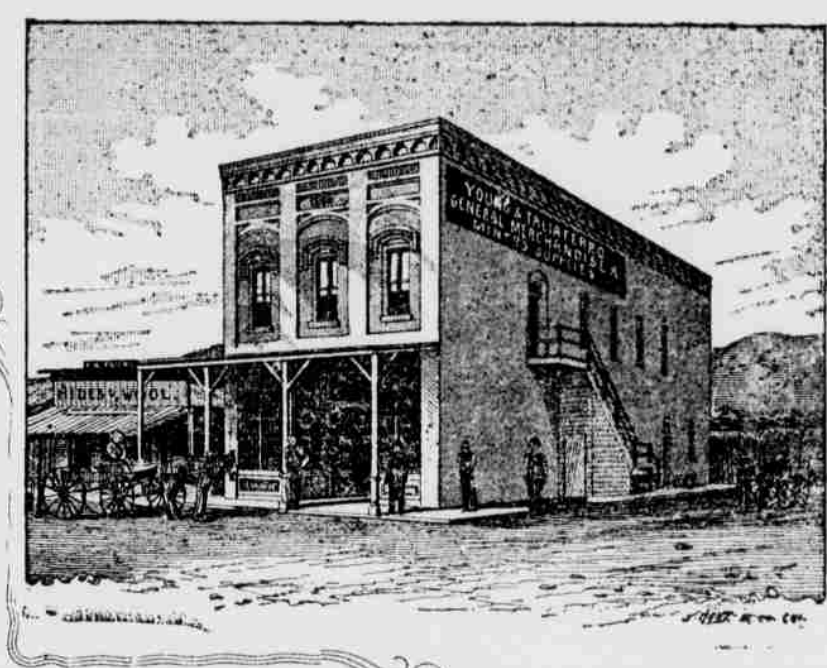
The Masque ball is the ball of the ses-  
sion everywhere. The White Oaks ball  
will be exceptionally pleasant and the  
management have taken especial pains  
to see that none except the invited attend.  
The doorkeeper will follow the regular  
custom in vogue in all well managed  
masked balls and is required to see that  
those presenting their tickets are invited  
guests of the management.

The contest of Dr. Melvin G. Paden  
vs. Rolla Wells, William Bonnell and  
William Blanchard on the "Martin Mil-  
l-site," has been decided by First Asst  
Sec'y of the Interior, George Chandler,  
in favor of Paden. The doctor, after sev-  
eral years waiting, will now be able to  
prove up and secure his patent.

The family of Mr. El Baird, at Par-  
sons City, on the Bonito, mourn the loss  
of their babe which died last week, of  
the measles. Funeral services were held  
last Sabbath by Rev. R. B. Scroggins.

Judge Frederick bought Frank Den-  
nett's saloon at Nogal. Judge intends  
to keep the place in his usual quiet, or,  
dearly way and the people think the  
change will be of benefit to the town.

**YOUNG & TALIAFERRO,**  
Dry Goods, Groceries  
...AND...  
GENERAL MERCHANDISE.  
Highest cash price paid for  
county produce,  
**WOOL, HIDES**  
and Pelts.  
White Oaks Ave. White Oaks, N. M.



**- REMOVAL! -**  
THANKING my numerous friends for their patronage during the past year, and trusting  
that all old and new ones will call on me at my new headquarters in the  
**WATSON BLOCK,**  
Where I will extend to them a cordial greeting with thanks for their loyal support in behalf  
of my efforts to please. My stock of Stationery, Wall Paper, Books, Jewelry, Clocks  
Toys, Pictures, and of fine and select cigars, especially Key West cigars, is full and complete.  
**Ella G. Timoney.**

**Not how cheap, BUT how good!**  
**Peabody Creamery Butter.** Seedless Raisins.  
A Fine Selection of Staple and Fancy Groceries.  
Fresh Assortment of Evaporated and Dried Fruits,  
New Additions in Canned Goods. Pure Maple Syrup  
and Rock Candy Drips. Preserves and Jellies in  
20 lb. Pails. Peabody Creamery Butter.....  
**Levin - W. - Stewart.**

**A. L. PARKER,**  
—DEALER IN—  
**HARDWARE,**  
Stoves, Tinware, Mining Supplies,  
Powder, Fuse, Agricultural Implements, Barbed Wire, Steel and Iron.  
TINSHOP—ALL KINDS OF REPAIRING.  
Sole Agent for Studebaker Wagons.